

of any of the said gates or turnpikes, any toll for passing the said gate more than once in twenty-four hours." The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messrs	Scott, Thomas, Moore,	Hatcheson, B. Mackall, Parnham,	Stansbury, Lemmon, Brown,	Harryman, Spencer, T. Bayly,	Sheredine, Alexander,	Miller, Bond,	Ayres, Montgomery,	Forwood, Swearingen.	28.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messrs	R. Neale, Hebb, Mercer, Hall,	Dorsey, Harwood, Stuart, Chapman,	M'Pherson, Cottman, Hyland, S. Frazier,	J. Bayly, Lyles, Muir, Shaaff,	Thompson, Handy, Waters, Cockey,	Hawkins, Potter, Stephen,	Ellicott, Bowles, Ringgold,	Bruce, Bayard, J. Tomlinson.	29.
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So it was determined in the negative.

On further progression in reading said bill, the question was put, That the following be received as an amendment thereto? to wit: "And be it enacted, That all and every provision of this act, so far as the same relate to the Reister's-town and York-town roads, shall remain suspended, and shall not be carried into execution until after the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eight; provided; that the persons named in the third section of this act may, at their discretion, proceed to open books for subscription for said roads on the day or days therein directed, or defer to do the same until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eight, of which determination and day or days appointed they shall give a previous notice of at least one month in the several papers therein mentioned? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messrs	R. Neale, W. Neale, Hebb, Thomas,	Mercer, Hall, Dorsey, Harwood,	Parnham, Stuart, M'Pherson, Cottman,	S. Frazier, J. Bayly, Muir, Shaaff,	Thompson, Sturgis, Handy, Waters,	Hawkins, Potter, Stephen, Ellicott,	Bowles, Ringgold, Bruce,	B. Tomlinson, Bayard, J. Tomlinson.	30.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messrs	Scott, Moore, Hatcheson, Stansbury,	Lemmon, Brown, Harryman, Lloyd,	Spencer, T. Bayly, Hyland, Sheredine,	Alexander, Miller, Lyles,	Williams, Clarke, Cockey,	Bond, Ayres, Montgomery,	Forwood, Holbrook, Swearingen,	Linthicum, Selby, Darne.	27.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messieurs	R. Neale, W. Neale, Hebb, Mercer, Hall, Dorsey,	Harwood, B. Mackall, Parnham, Stuart, Chapman,	M'Pherson, Lloyd, Meluy, T. Bayly, Cottman,	Hyland, S. Frazier, J. Bayly, Veazey, Lyles,	Muir, Shaaff, Blake, Thompson, Sturgis,	Prideaux, Williams, Handy, Waters, Hawkins,	Holbrook, Potter, Stephen, Ellicott, Bowles,	Ringgold, Bruce, B. Tomlinson, Bayard, J. Tomlinson.	41.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messrs	Scott, Thomas, Moore,	Hatcheson, Stansbury, Lemmon,	Brown, Harryman, Spencer,	Sheredine, Alexander, Miller,	Lowrey, Clarke, Cockey,	Bond, Ayres, Montgomery,	Forwood, Swearingen, Linthicum,	Selby, Darne.	23.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco. ORDERED, That Mr. M'Pherson, Mr. Stuart, Mr. Contee, Mr. Lyles and Mr. Hall, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the report of the committee to whom was referred the communication of the executive of the twenty-eighth of November last: The said report was amended so as to read as followeth:

THE committee to whom was referred the communication of the executive of the twenty-eighth of November, eighteen hundred and four, enclosing letters from Benjamin Harwood and Thomas Munroe, on the subject of the loans by the state to the city of Washington, report, that they have taken the same under their consideration, and submit the following resolution:

Whereas Thomas Munroe, superintendent of the city of Washington, by his letter to the treasurer of the western shore of the twenty-second of November, eighteen hundred and four, hath therein communicated, that he had laid the letter received from said treasurer of the nineteenth instant before the president of the United States, who, after consulting the secretary of the treasury, directed him to state, that they consider themselves authorised by the act of congress to pay the first instalment of forty thousand dollars on any day in the year eighteen hundred and four, the second on any day in the year eighteen hundred and five, and that the first instalment will be paid on demand; and as it is as convenient to the United States to pay on the first as on the last day of the year, the second instalment may be paid on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and five, interest always ceasing from the time of payment: And whereas the executive have instructed the treasurer to request the payment of the said instalments agreeable to the letter from the superintendent, which has been so done, and the treasurer has according thereto received a warrant from the general government, drawn on the branch bank of discount and deposit in-Baltimore for the said first instalment, to the amount of forty thousand four hundred and twenty-three dollars and ninety-one cents, and it is proper that provision should be made for